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Messrs. Joseph and Jerry Stocks SUM Company 702 South Main Moab, Utah 84532

> RE: State Section 36, T. 43 S., R. 14 E.

Dear Messrs. Stocks:

It has come to the Division's attention that SUM Company is currently operating a mine without a permit or a valid surety on this state school section. SUM Company is in violation of the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act for such actions.

A plan must be submitted immediately to this Division and a bond must be posted with the Division of State Lands.

Next week, an inspector from this office will visit the site. Mining should not continue until the above-noted matters have been taken care of.

Enclosed for your use are the proper forms for filing and the requirements as outlined starting on page 68 of the "green book."

Thank you for your cooperation. Should you have questions, please contact Mary Ann Wright of my staff.

Sincerely,

JAMES W. SMITH, JR. COORDINATOR OF MINED LAND DEVELOPMENT

Enclosures

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